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Dear Sir:

With respect to the above-identified patent application, enclosed herewith for filing are six (6) sheets of Formal Drawings consisting of FIGs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5A, 5B, 6 and 7.

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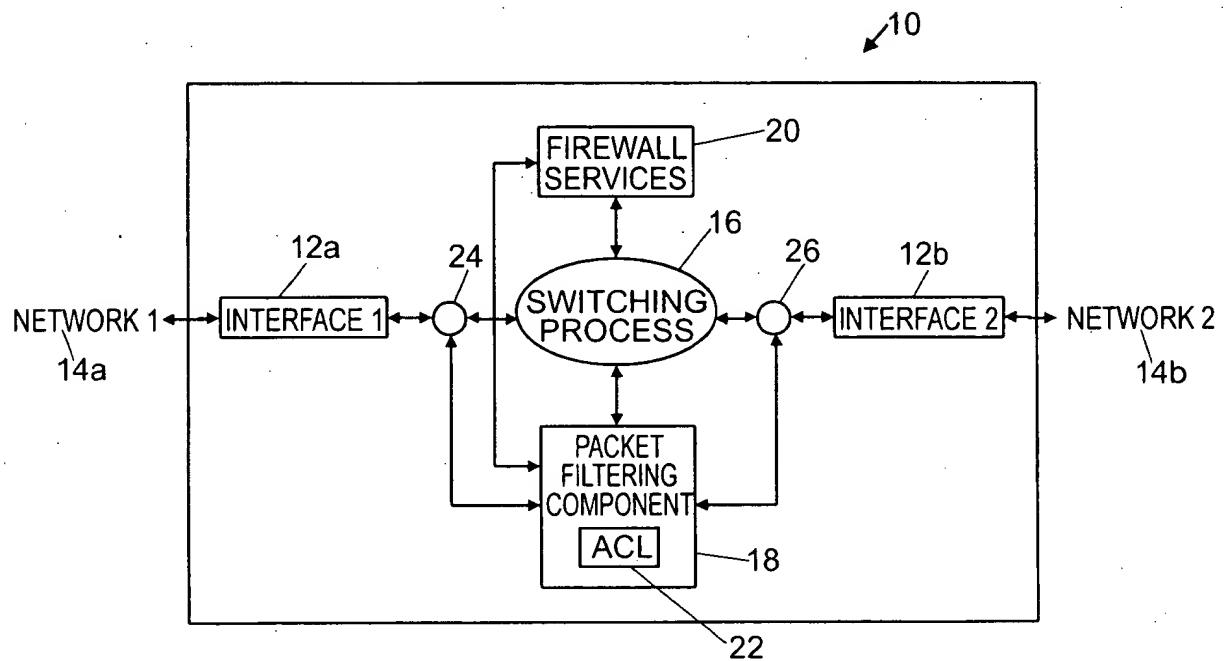


FIG. 1
PRIOR ART

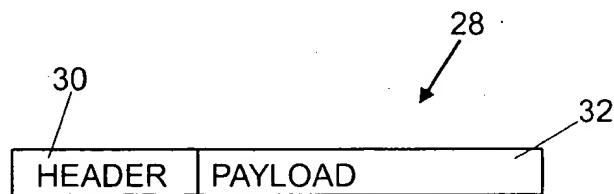


FIG. 2
PRIOR ART

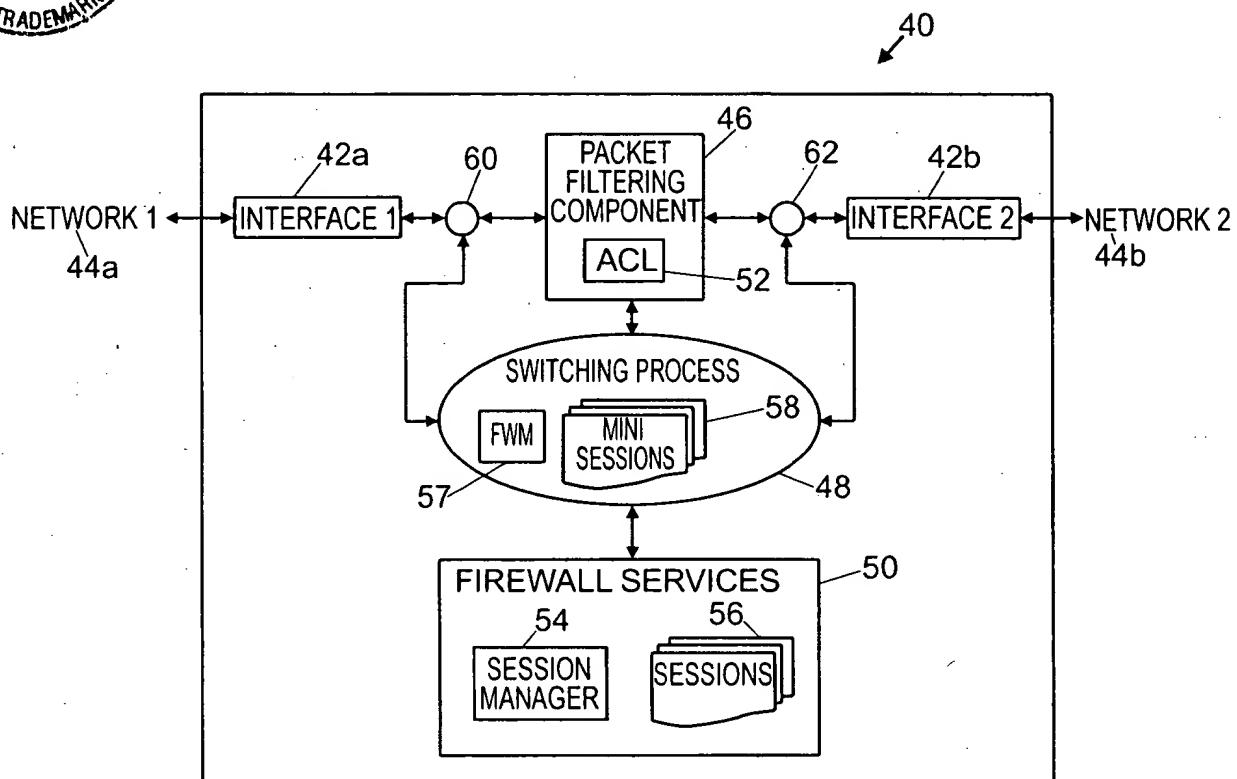


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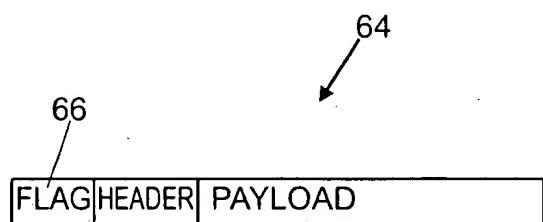


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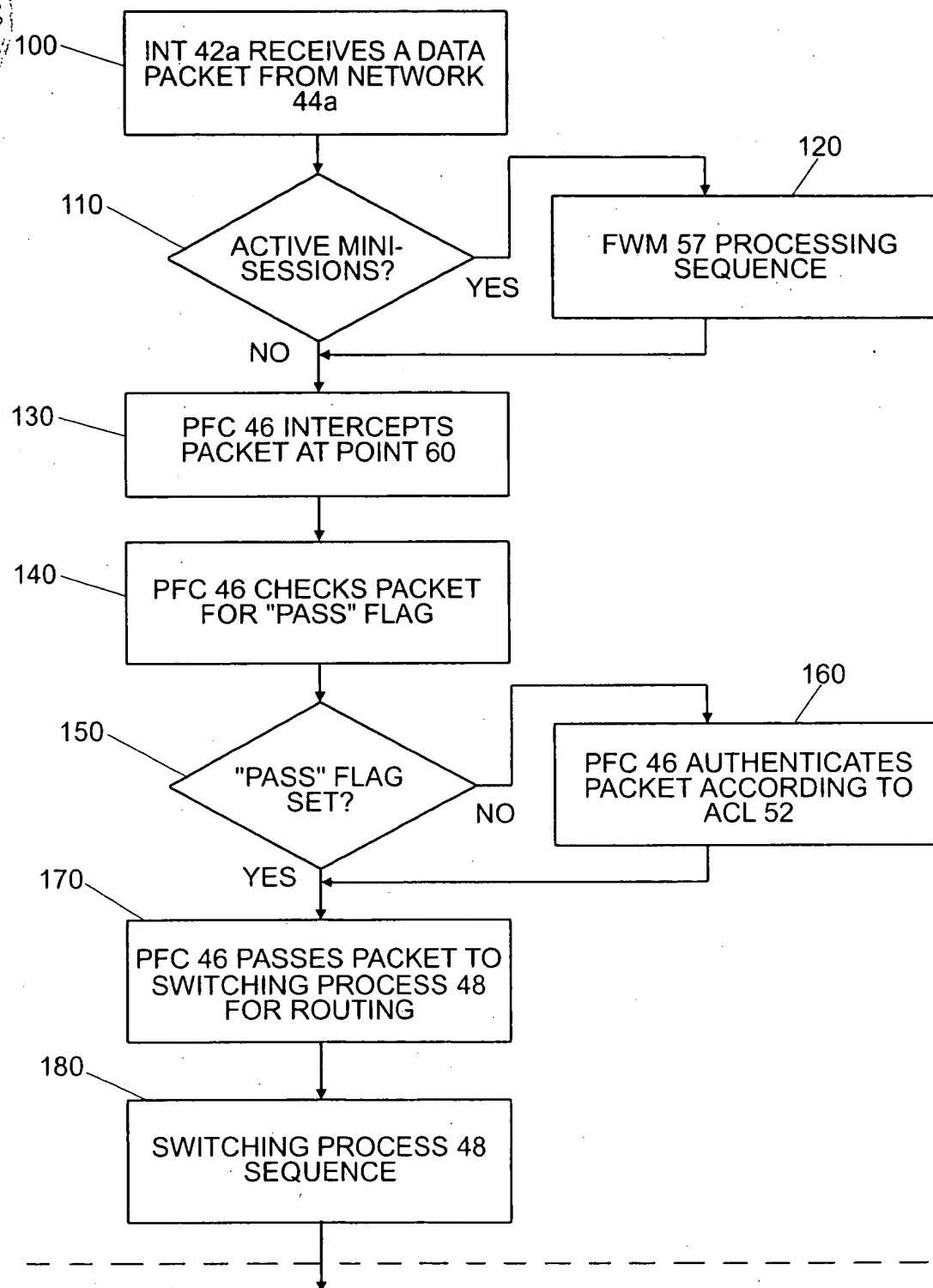


FIG. 5A

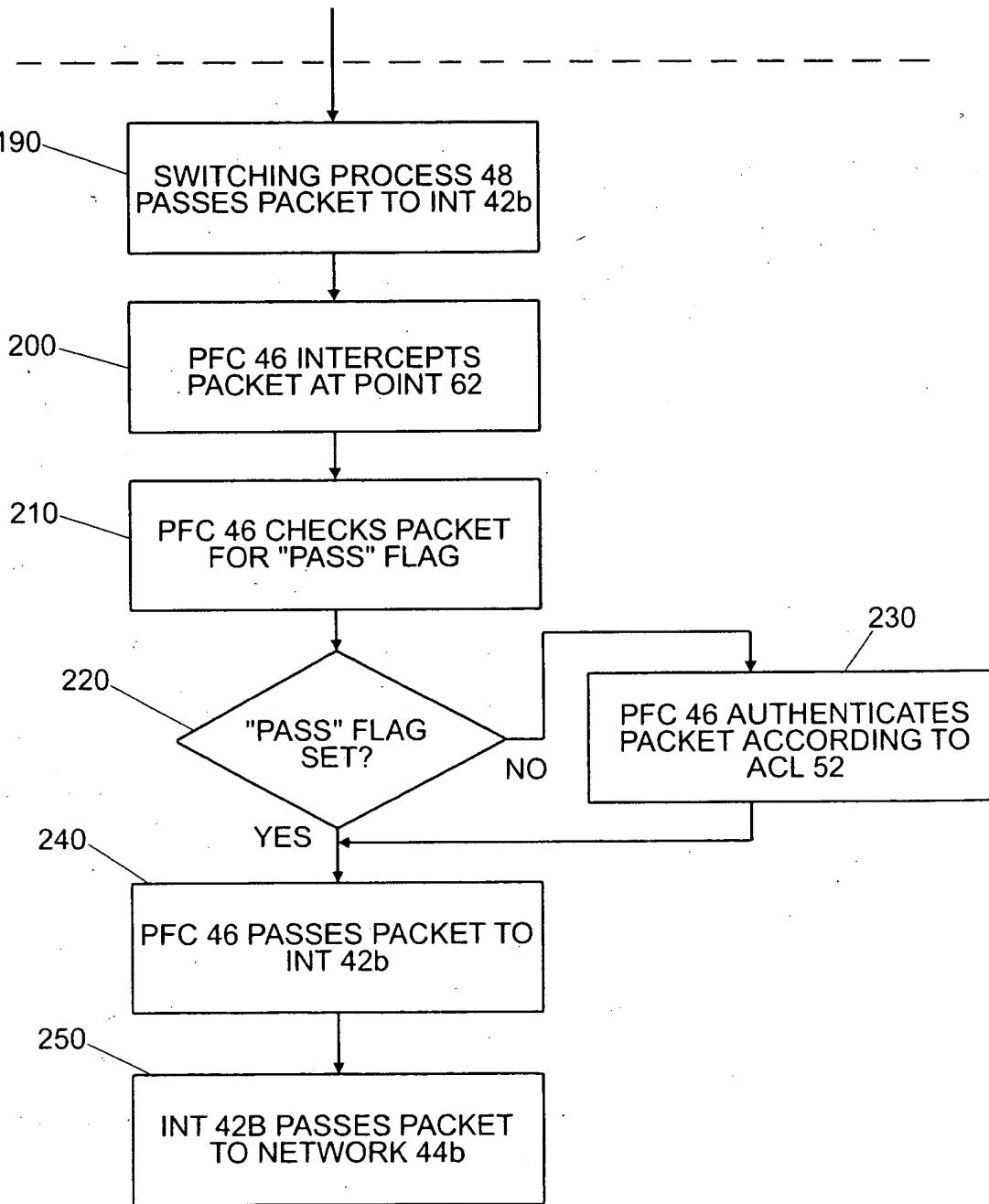


FIG. 5B

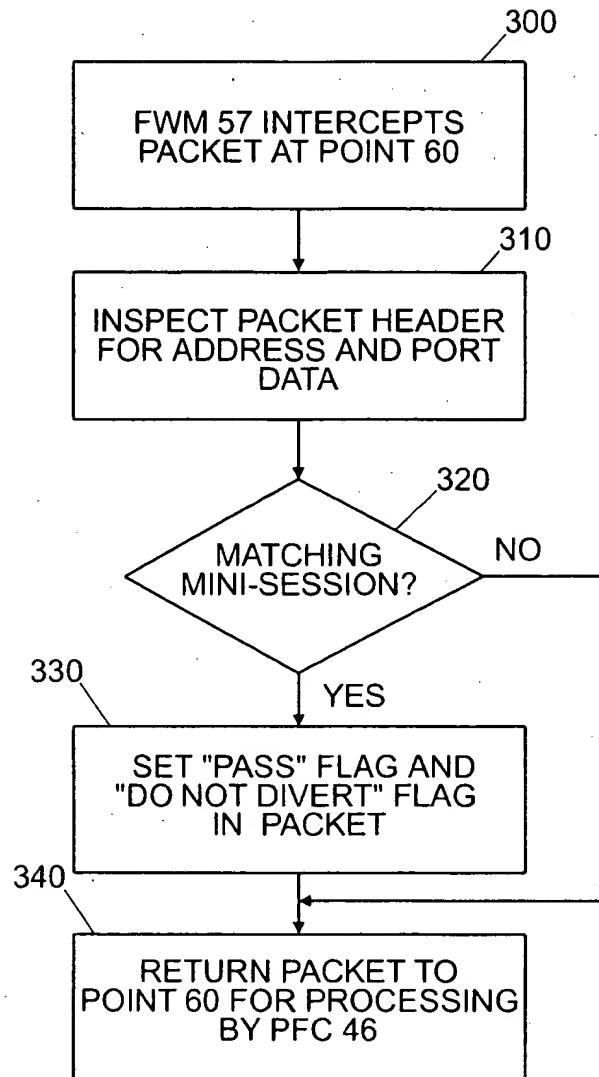


FIG. 6

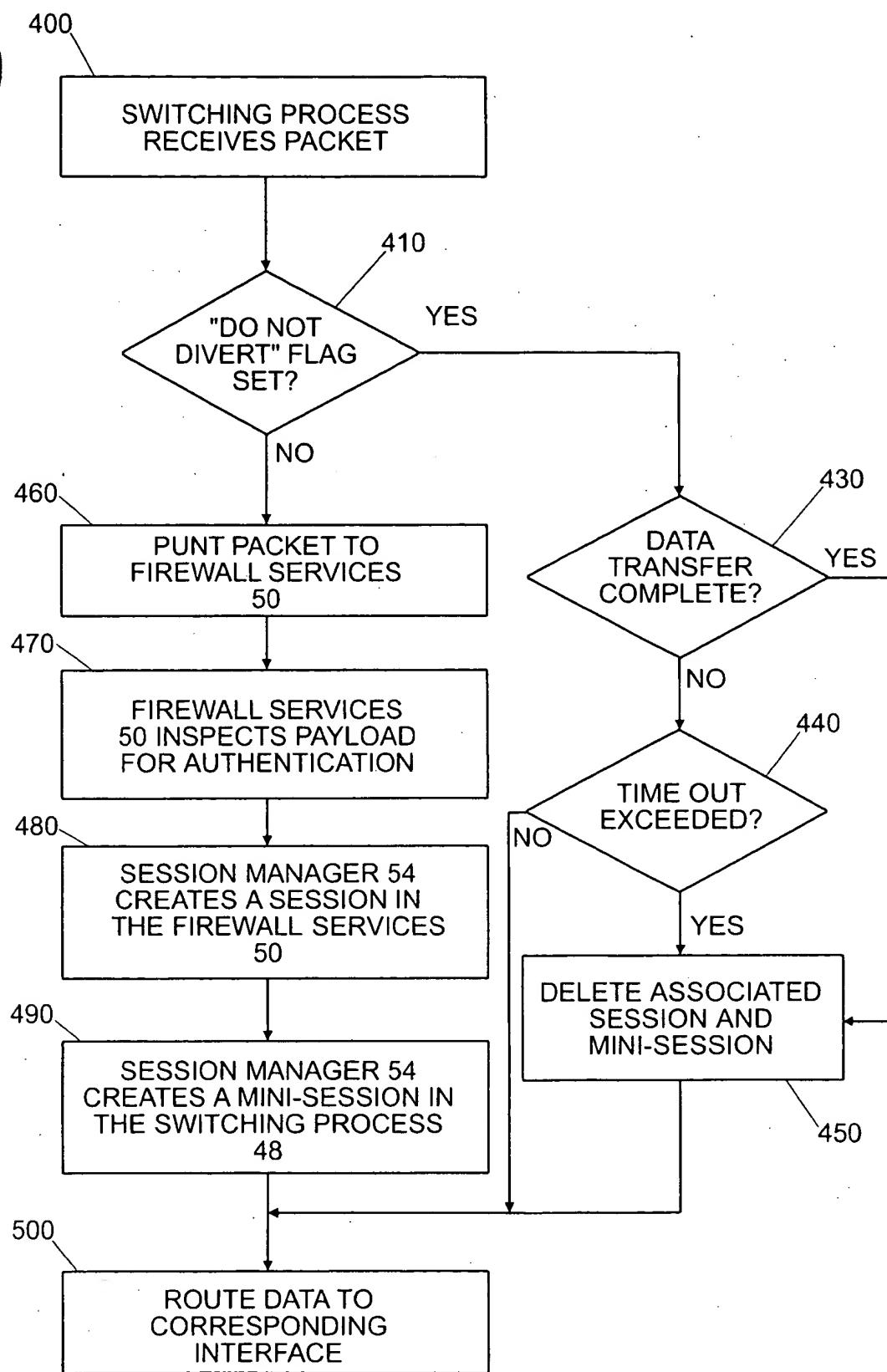


FIG. 7